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Queries.

I am anxious to find the parents of Mary Williams, who married James Crook. Also his parents. He was born May 29, 1746; moved from Mecklenburg Co., Va., to N. C., thence to Spartanburg, S. C. They were the parents of Jesse Crook, who married Margaret Kate Barry. Any data regarding their ancestry is greatly desired.

—MRS. J. E. MARTIN, Columbus, Ga.

EXCHANGES.

The New England Historical and Genealogical Register for July contains a sketch of Hon. Amos Perry, by Clarence Saunders Brigham, prefaced by a portrait of Mr. Perry; Records of the Church in Bolton, Conn.; Kingsbury and Gage; Weetamoe: a New-England Queen of the Seventeenth Century; Washington-Mitchell Letters; The Descendants of Thomas Norton of Guilford, Conn.; "The Two Peaches" of Marblehead; The Traske Family in England; Military Services of the Osborne Family; Dunton Family; John Hammond of Lavenham, Suffolk, England; Records of the First Church of Rockingham, Vermont; Ancient Burial-Grounds of Long Island, N. Y.; Ancestry of Lydia Strengthfield; Emery of Huguenot Blood; The Lowell Pedigree; Peter Mallory, New Haven, Conn., 1644, and Some of His Descendants; Genealogical Gleanings among the English Archives; Thomas Peter of Saybrook and Mylor; Withington's Abstracts of English Wills; The Parents of Rev. Richard Mather; Notes and Queries; Book Notices; Recent Publications, and Deaths.

The Virginia Magazine of History and Biography for July contains: The Indians of Southern Virginia, 1650-

1711; An Inventory of the Estate of the Right Honorable Thomas Lord Fairfax, Deceased; Letters From Mrs. Ralph Izard to Mrs. William Lee; Virginia in 1631; Papers Relating to the Administration of Governor Nicholson and to the Founding of William and Mary College; Notes from Council and General Court Records, 1641-1659; Virginia Militia in the Revolution; Abstracts of Virginia Land Patents; Genealogy; Historical and Genealogical Notes and Queries, and Book Reviews. The chapter on genealogy includes : Descendants of Robert Green and Allied Families in the State of Virginia; A Forgotten Member of the Ball Family; Throckmorton Family; Eskridge Family; Fitzhugh Family, with a portrait of William Fitzhugh, of "Chatham;" Descendants of John Still and Mary Randolph; and The Farrar Family.

The Pennsylvania Magazine of History and Biography for July is prefaced by the proceedings and address on the memory of Dr. C. J. Stille, late president of the Historical Society of Pennsylvania. The proceedings and address cover xxviii pages and are accompanied by a portrait of the dead scholar. The magazine proper contains : The Mother of Lincoln; Letters of the Rev. Griffith Hughes, of St. David's Church, Radnor, Penna., 1733-1736; Friends' Burial-Ground, Burlington, New Jersey; The Penns and the Taxation of Their Estates by the Provincial Assembly; An Old Pennsylvania Royal Coat-of-Arms; The Names of the Early Settlers of Darby Township, Chester County, Pennsylvania (accompanied by a map); Lists of Foreigners who arrived at Philadelphia, 1791-1792; The Two Rival Autobiographies of Franklin; An Itinerary to Niagara Falls in 1809; Some of the Descendants of Evan Robert Lewis, of Fron Góch, Wales; A Register of Marriages and Deaths, 1802; Ship Registers for the Port of Philadelphia, 1726-1775; Record of the Descendants of James and Phebe Gillingham; and Notes and Queries.

Publications of the Southern History Associations for July contains : The Journal of Thomas Nicholson, continued; The Southern Planter of the Fifties; Letter from a Revolutionary Officer (Capt. Philip Slaughter, of Virginia. The letter is dated January 5, 1847, and gives some account of the Revolutionary services of several Virginia officers); A Brief Outline of Governor Richard Bennett (of Virginia); Light on the Negro Problem (a review); Reviews and Notices (among which is a most admirable review of John S. Wise's "The End of An Era," by Mr. Edward L. Wells, of Charleston) and Notes and Queries.

The New York Genealogical and Biographical Record for July contains a sketch and portrait of Samuel Burhans, Jr.; Hoes Family Baptisms from Early Church Records of New York State and Western Massachusetts; The "King" Family in England; Records of the Corporation of Zion in New Germantown in West Jersey; Inscriptions taken from the Old Cemetery at Huntington, Suffolk Co., L. I.—1701-1850; Records of the Reformed Dutch Church in the City of New York; William Alfred Jones (with a portrait); The Roosa Family of Ulster and Dutchess Counties, New York; A Brief Account of the Family of Lieutenant Richard Browne, of Southold, on the Island of Nassau, or Long Island, N. Y.; Onondaga County Records—1784-86; Records of the Church of Christ in Salem, Westchester Co., N. Y.; Baxter Families, Genealogy and Notes; A Cornell Corner; Editorial; Obituary; Queries; Notes; Society Proceedings; Book Notices, and Donations.

The North Carolina Historical and Genealogical Register for April contains : Abstract of Wills (Executed and probated prior to 1760. Compiled from the originals in the office of Secy. of State, Raleigh); Marriage Bonds (On file in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Chowan County at Edenton.); The First Church Built in North Carolina and its Location etc.; Copy of an Oath, with Signa-

tures, Required of All Persons upon their Qualifications to Office; Littlejohn Family; The Earliest Baptist Congregation Organized in North Carolina; Abstracts of Conveyances (Compiled from office of Register of Deeds, for Chowan County, at Edenton.); Miscellaneous Items Taken from Loose Papers among the Records of Albemarle County at Edenton; Editorial Department, and Queries and Answers.

The Essex Institute *Historical Collections* for July contains : Some Historic Streets and Colonial Houses of Salem; A Contemporary Letter Written from Fort Sewall in Marblehead to the Gurnet Fort Near Plymouth Detailing the "Sandy Bay Surprise" of September 5, 1814, with Other Matters; Salem Commoners Records, 1713-1739; Salem Social Life in the Early Nineteenth Century; The Voting Rights of Freemen in 1658; The Will of George Rea Curwen (Born July 4, 1823; died March 17, 1900.); A Letter from Hon. Andrew Dunlap, and Note to the "Familiar Letters."

Publications of the Rhode Island Historical Society for July contains : Francis Brinley's Brief Narrative of the Nanhiganset Countrey; British State Papers Relating to Rhode Island, 1678-1687; The Adjustment of Rhode Island into the Union in 1790; Sir Thomas Urquhart and Roger Williams, and Notes.

Records of the American Catholic Historical Society of Philadelphia for June contains : Memoir of the Rt. Rev. James Zilliox, O. S. B., D. D. (First Abbot of St. Mary's Benedictine Abbey, of Newark, N. J.); Mathias James O'Conway, Philologist, Lexicographer and Interpreter of Languages, 1766-1842; Properties of the Jesuits in Pennsylvania: 1730-1830; Goshenhoppen Registers of Marriages (1801-1819); America in the Consistorial Congregation's "Acta;" Selections from the Correspondence of the deceased Mathew Carey, Writer, Printer, Publisher; Unpublished Letters; By-Paths of History; Book Reviews and Historical Picture Gallery.

The Quarterly of the Texas State Historical Association for July contains : Route of Cabeza de Vaca; Reminiscences of Judge Edwin Waller; A Retrospect of San Antonio; Notices; Notes and Fragments, and Affairs of the Association.

The "Old Northwest" Genealogical Quarterly for July contains : a sketch of Elmer Wiard Woodruff, M. D., with a portrait; Gleason, Glezen, Gleeson; Records of the Friends' Monthly Meeting, Oblong and Nine Partners, New York; Monumental Inscriptions from the Old Graveyard at Mantua Center, Portage County, Ohio; Marriage Record, Washington County, Ohio; Marriage Record, Franklin County, Ohio; Editorial; Notes and Queries; Book Notices; Books, Pamphlets and Periodicals, and proceedings and official reports of the "Old Northwest" Genealogical Society.

Annals of Iowa for July contains an address, by Hon. Frank W. Palmer, U. S. Government Printer, on the "Death of President Lincoln," with a portrait of Mr. Palmer; Recollections of Gen. Nathaniel Lyon, illustrated; The Grasshopper Invasion; Fort Atkinson, Iowa; Mrs. John F. Dillon; The Visit of Abraham Lincoln to Council Bluffs; A Historical Proclamation; History of a claim in Jones County in 1838, and Editorial Department.

The Iowa Historical Record for July contains : John Chase Bennett, M. D., LL.B., with a portrait; Dubuque in 1820, August 7th; Early Iowa Reminiscences; A Soldier's Letters from the Field, and Notes.

The Washington Historian for July contains a number of short and interesting matters pertaining to the comparatively new State of Washington.

Transactions No. 7 of the Huguenot Society of South Carolina has lately been issued by the Society. It contains the proceedings of the fifteenth annual meeting of the

Society, held April 21st, 1900, and a "Historical Sketch of the Huguenot Congregations of South Carolina," by the late Daniel Ravenel with notes by the late Gen. Wilmot G. DeSaussure.

PUBLICATIONS RECEIVED.

Certain Antiquities of the Florida West-Coast. By Clarence B. Moore. Reprint from the Journal of the Academy of Natural Sciences of Philadelphia, Volume XI. Philadelphia, 1900.

Papers of the New Haven Colony Historical Society. Vol. VI. New Haven. 1900.

Year Book, 1899, City of Charleston, S. C.

Proceedings of the American Philosophical Society. Nos. 161 and 162—January to March and April to June, 1900.

List No. 20 (New Series) of Books, Pamphlets, and Maps received at the Library of the Department of State, Washington, D. C.

James Ramsey, the Inventor of the Steamboat. A paper by Mr. George M. Beltzhoover, Jr. The West Virginia Historical and Antiquarian Society's Publication. 1900.

THE SOUTH CAROLINA HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

The Society continues to grow and prosper, but not so rapidly as was hoped. The membership is now three hundred and twelve, the following names having been added since the appearance of the July magazine: Eugene I. Burn, Birmingham, Ala.; E. P. Guerard, Charleston, S. C.; Mercantile Library, New York City; Public Library, Toronto, Canada; B. R. Heyward, Albany, N. Y.

The Society has lately moved into new quarters over the Charleston Library, where the collections can be arranged and exhibited to better advantage.